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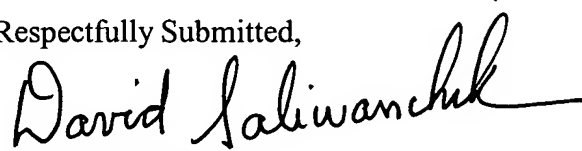
This application is a National Stage Application of International Application Number PCT/EP03/06391. By this amendment, the subject specification has been amended to add a cross-reference to a related application section and also to correct typographical errors on pages 8 and 9.

Claims 1-21 are pending in the subject international patent application. By this Amendment, claims 1-21 have been amended. No new subject matter has been added by these amendments. Accordingly, claims 1-21 are pending in the subject application. The applicants have attached a clean copy of the claims as well as a clean copy of the amendments made to the subject specification.

The subject international application was filed in a foreign language, German. The applicants are also attaching herewith an English translation of the subject application as well as a Certificate of Verification of the translation.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR §§1.16, 1.17, or 1.492 as required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 19-0065.

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Attachment: Certificate of Verification of translation of subject application
Copy of subject application as filed in the PCT in the German language
Copy of English translation of subject international application
Clean copy of amendments made to specification
Clean copy of amended claims